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- (1) European Patent Application Publication No. EP 0 874 306;
- (2) European Patent Application Publication No. EP 0 747 845;
- (3) European Patent Application Publication No. EP 0 867 817;
- (4) "Disk Drive with Embedded Hyper-Text Markup Language Server", IBM Technical Disclosure Bulletin, IBM Corp., New York, US, Vol. 38, No. 12, December 1, 1995, page 479; and

(5) European Patent Application Publication No. EP 0 886 206.

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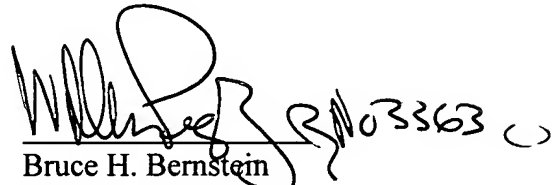
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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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